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SUBJECT: POTENTIAL PROJECTS (OPIC)

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1. APPRECIATED DETAILED BOSWELL/EMBASSY RESPONSE TO EDWARD'S REQUEST. UNABLE TO CONFIRM WHETHER OR NOT EDWARDS RECEIVED INFORMATION PRIOR TO DEPARTURE, AND HAVE BEEN ATTEMPTING TO PASS IT TO HIM IN EUROPE. POSSIBLE HE WILL CONTACT EMBASSY IN ANY EVENT. HAVE ALSO IDENTIFIED ADDITIONAL INVESTOR INTEREST ON RECENT TRIP TO NEBRASKA. WILL ADVISE IF LEAD TANGIBLE.

2. PARNELL VISITED NEBRASKA COMPANY (HASTINGS IRRIGATION PIPE CO.) WITH SERIOUS INTEREST IN INITIATING JOINT VENTURE
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WITH CONCRETE PIPES AND PRODUCTS LTD. (NAIROBI) TO MANUFACTURE ALUMINUM IRRIGATION PIPES. REQUEST ASSISTANCE IN VERIFYING REPUTATION OF KENYAN COMPANY AND ITS PRINCIPALS (HON. JAMES MAINA WANJIGI, DR. DUNSTAN IRERI, HEZEKIAH GITATA). U.S. COMPANY PLANS VISIT LATE FEBRUARY TO TIE DOWN DETAILS OF JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT. OPIC FEELS COMPANY IS SERIOUS,HAS RECEIVED FAVORABLE CREDIT REPORTS, AND IS

INTERESTED IN EVALUATING PARTICIPATION.

3. OPIC FEATURING OF KENYA IN PUBLICATION POSTPONED TO
EARLY FEBRUARY BECAUSE OF DESIRE TO INCLUDE MORE INFORMATION.
EMBASSY PHOTO OF AMERICAN BUSINESSMANS MEETING SENT IN OCTOBER

JUST ARRIVED. ANY ADDITIONAL PHOTOS SENT WHICH WE
SHOULD TRY TO TRACK DOWN?
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